

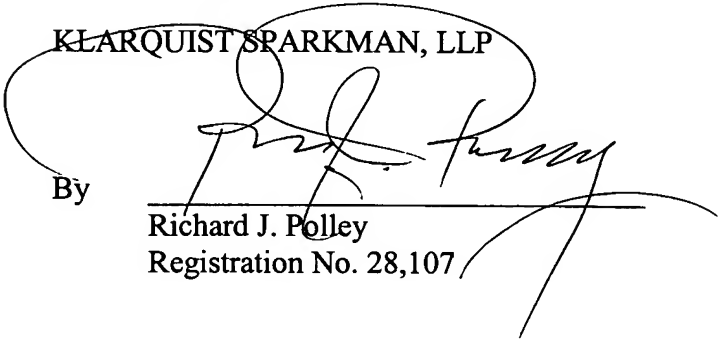
**Remarks**

By this Preliminary Amendment, the specification is changed to name prior related applications. No new matter is added.

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